

January 11, 2008 Montana Medicaid Notice

Physicians, Mid-Level Practitioners, Public Health Clinics, FQHCs, RHCs, Hospital Inpatient and Outpatient, and Indian Health Services Providers

Vaccines for Children (VFC)

Effective October 18, 2007, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration approved a change in the age range for Menactra, (90734) a bacterial meningitis vaccine, to include children ages 2 to 10 years.

The vaccines provided by Vaccines for Children (VFC), a program for clients ages 0-18, as of September 21, 2007, and after are:

- 90633 Hepatitis A vaccine, pediatric/adolescent dosage (2 dose schedule)
- 90645 Hemophilus influenza b vaccine (Hib), HbOC conjugate (4 dose schedule)
- 90647 Hemophilus influenza b vaccine (Hib), PRP-OMP conjugate (3 dose schedule)
- 90648 Hemophilus influenza b vaccine (Hib), PRP-T conjugate (4 dose schedule)
- 90649 Human papilloma virus (HPV), 3 dose schedule, for intramuscular use
- 90655 Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, preservative free, for children 6-35 months
- 90656 Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, preservative free, for use in individuals 3 years and above, for intramuscular use
- 90657 Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, for children 6-35 months
- 90658 Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, for individuals 3 years and above
- 90660 Influenza virus vaccine, live, for intranasal use
- 90669 Pneumococcal conjugate vaccine, polyvalent, for children under 5 years
- 90680 Rotavirus vaccine, pentavalent, 3 dose schedule, live for oral use
- 90700 Diphtheria, tetanus toxoids, and acellular pertussis vaccine (DTaP), for individuals younger than 7 years
- 90707 Measles, mumps and rubella virus vaccine (MMR), live
- 90710 Measles, mumps, rubella, and varicella vaccine (MMRV), live, for subcutaneous use
- 90713 Poliovirus vaccine, inactivated (IPV)
- 90714 Tetanus and diphtheria toxoids (Td), preservative free, for individuals 7 years or older
- 90715 Tetanus, diphtheria toxoids and acellular pertussus vaccine (Tdap), for use in individuals 7 years old or older, for intramuscular use.
- 90716 Varicella virus vaccine, live
- 90718 Tetanus and diphtheria toxoids (Td), for individuals 7 years or older
- 90723 Diphtheria, tetanus toxoids, acellular pertussis vaccine, Hepatitis B, and poliovirus vaccine, inactivated (DTap-HepB-IPV)
- 90732 Pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccine, 23-valent, adult or immunosuppressed patient dosage, for individuals 2 years or older

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- 90734 Meningococcal conjugate vaccine, serogroups A, C, Y and W-135 (tetravalent), for intramuscular use
- 90743 Hepatitis B vaccine, adolescent (2 dose schedule)
- 90744 Hepatitis B vaccine, pediatric/adolescent dosage (3 dose schedule)
- 90748 Hepatitis B and Hemophilus influenza b vaccine (HepB-Hib)

NOTE: You may only bill for administration services if performed by, or under the direct supervision of, a reimbursable professional (i.e. physician, mid-level). All administration of VFC vaccines must be billed on a 1500 at no charge for the VFC supplied vaccine and the administration should have the appropriate modifier (SL) to be reimbursed for the federal mandated administration rate. (See fee schedule.)

http://medicaidprovider.hhs.mt.gov/providerpages/providertype/27.shtml#feeschedules

NOTE: Human Papillomavirus (HPV/ Gardasil / 90649) is provided by (VFC) for clients ages 9 through age 18. Montana Medicaid will reimburse for the administration from age 9 and also for the vaccine from ages 19 to 27.

NOTE: If a significant separately identifiable Evaluation and Management service (e.g., office or other outpatient services, preventive medicine services) is performed, the appropriate E/M service code (with the appropriate modifier) should be reported in addition to the vaccine and toxoid administration codes.

NOTE: There can only be one initial administration code (90465, 90467, 90471, 90473). For each additional administration, you need to use an add-on code (90466, 90468, 90472, 90474). Be sure to use the appropriate modifier (SL) with each VFC administration.

NOTE: For Rural Health Clinics (RHCs) and Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs) only: VFC vaccines can be administered at RHCs and FQHCs. However, they are not billable visits because a core provider is not required to administer the vaccine. VFC costs are calculated into your all-inclusive prospective payment rate.

Contact Information

For claims questions or additional information, contact Provider Relations:

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